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**PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH  
EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

BOX MISSING PARTS  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated December 4, 2001 pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(2). Applicant believes the fee for this request is \$55.00 and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit this fee from the Locke Liddell & Sapp LLP Deposit Account No. 12-1322 (Ref. No. 44781-00100).

Respectfully submitted,

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